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PRESS RELEASE

Archbishop’s Annual School Fund Dinner
Friday, October 7, 2011, 6:00 p.m.

Hotel Albuquerque, 800 Rio Grande Blvd NW, Albuquerque, NM 87104

ALBUQUERQUE –Tuesday, October 4, 2011 (IMMEDIATE RELEASE)

Archbishop Michael J. Sheehan will host the Annual Archbishop’s School Fund dinner on Friday, October 7, 2011 at 6:00 p.m. at Hotel Albuquerque, 800 Rio Grande Blvd NW, Albuquerque. The elegant dinner helps to raise funds for tuition assistance for hundreds of needy children attending our Archdiocesan Catholic Schools.



This year’s keynote speaker is Dr. Thomas Kunkel, President, St. Norbert College. Thomas Kunkel took over as St. Norbert’s seventh president in July 2008. Prior to his appointment at St. Norbert, Kunkel served for eight years as Dean of the Philip Merrill College of Journalism at the University of Maryland where he also served as President of the American Journalism Review.

The Green Bay Packers called St. Norbert’s College "home" for its 53rd consecutive training camp this summer. The relationship between the private college and the Green Bay Packers marks the longest continual use of any training camp facility by an NFL team. Players take up residence in Victor McCormick Hall, a 60-room coed dormitory used to house 225 students during the academic year. The Packers use their own practice and team meeting facilities at Lambeau Field during training camp, with the St. Norbert’s College serving as housing headquarters. Players return to St. Norbert every evening for a team dinner.

Don’t miss out on an opportunity to help fund tuition for low-income students at Archdiocesan Catholic Schools. If you have attended before, you know how much your help is needed and appreciated. If this will be your first time, you will get to see the importance of Catholic education, witness the acknowledgement of teachers nominated for the Archdiocesan Teacher of the Year, and applaud the generosity of our many sponsors, get to know new people and may even be top bidder in the live auction or win one of the basket raffles.

Archbishop Michael J. Sheehan extends his deep appreciation to each Catholic School supporter who has afforded so many children the opportunity to receive a Christ-centered education in our Catholic Schools. They are:

Holy Ghost
Our Lady of the Annunciation
Our Lady of the Assumption
Our Lady of Fatima
Queen of Heaven
St. Charles Borromeo
St. Mary’s
St. Pius X High School
St. Therese

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San Felipe de Neri
St. Mary’s
St. Thomas Aquinas
Holy Cross
Santo Niño Regional Catholic School
St. Michael High School
Holy Child Catholic School

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He also extends an invitation to sponsor a child in need of financial assistance. To sponsor a child, please call the Catholic School’s Office at 505.831.8172---END